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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 28 April 2009.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☒ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 8, and 14.

Identification of prior art discussed: Nakano and Wilson.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

1. Applicant briefly summarized the invention.

2. Applicant discussed the proposed independent claims 1, 8, and 14 in view of Nakano.

3. Examiner agreed to review the proposed amendment in view of the prior arts on record.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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